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APPLICANT: HANS JOACHIM BAMERT-1 PCT  
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TITLE: DEVICE FOR HOLDING THE LOG TRANSMITTER OF A BOAT  
SPEEDOMETER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ATTN.: BOX PCT APPLICATION  
Ass't. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the initial Office Action, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On Page 1, before line 1 (after the title), please insert the  
following paragraph:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

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Applicants claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of German  
Application No. 199 50 751.1, filed on 21 October 1999. Applicants  
also claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 of PCT/EP00/10189, filed  
on 17 October 2000. The international application under PCT article  
21(2) was not published in English.--